WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

- 1. An electroluminescent display device comprising:
- a plurality of pixels disposed on an insulating substrate;
- 5 a color filter layer provided in each of the pixels and formed above the insulating substrate;

an anode layer disposed above each of the color filter layers;

- a first planarization insulating film interposed between the color filter layers and the anode layers;
- a second planarization insulating film disposed above the first planarization insulating film and extending over the anode layers so as to cover end portions of the anode layers;

an electroluminescent layer disposed above each of the anode layers; and a cathode layer disposed above the electroluminescent layers,

wherein each of the color filter layers overlaps with the second planarization insulating film by a length that is larger than a sum of a thickness of the anode layer and a thickness of the first planarization insulating film located above the color filter layers.

- 2. The electroluminescent display device of claim 1, wherein the electroluminescent layer comprises a white electroluminescent layer.
- 3. The electroluminescent display device of claim 2, wherein the white electroluminescent layer is an organic electroluminescent layer.
 - 4. An electroluminescent display device comprising:

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a color filter layer;

a first planarization insulating film disposed on the color filter layer;

an anode layer disposed on the first planarization insulating film;

a second planarization insulating film disposed above the first planarization insulating

5 film and extending over the anode layer;

an electroluminescent layer disposed on the anode layer; and

a cathode layer disposed above the electroluminescent layer,

wherein the color filter layer overlaps with the second planarization insulating film by a

length that is larger than a sum of a thickness of the anode layer and a thickness of the first

10 planarization insulating film.